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AMENDMENT

Dear Sir:

In response to the Office action mailed September 24, 2007, please amend the above-referenced application as follows:

Amendments to the Claims begin on page 2 of this paper.

Remarks begin on page 8 of this paper.